

REMARKS

In response to the Official Action of December 11, 2008, claims 1, 3-8, 10, 14, and 15 have been amended and claims 2 and 9 canceled. As a result of this amendment, claims 1, 3-8, and 10-15 are pending.

The amendment to the claim 1 incorporates the features of now canceled claims 2 and 9 and furthermore claim 1 has been amended in view of the rejection in the Official Action based upon 35 USC 112, second paragraph.

Independent claims 14 and 15 are amended to incorporate the features set forth in amended claim 1.

Furthermore, the claims have been amended to delete parenthetical references. No new matter is added.

Claim Rejections - 35 USC 112

At section 4, claim 1 is rejected under 35 USC 112, second paragraph as being indefinite for failing to particularly point out and distinctly claim the subject matter which applicant regards as the invention on the basis that the Office had difficulty distinguishing between the preamble and the main body of the claimed subject matter. Claim 1 has been amended to shorten the preamble and to incorporate certain portions of the original preamble into the specific actions recited in amended claim 1. As such, it is respectfully submitted that claim 1 is definite under 35 USC 112, second paragraph.

Claim Rejections - 35 USC §103

At section 6, claims 1-8 and 11-15 are rejected under 35 USC §103(a) as unpatentable over US patent application publication 2002/0167907, Sarkar, et al (hereinafter Sarkar), in view of US patent 6,615,382, Kang, et al (hereinafter Kang).

Furthermore, claim 10 is rejected at section 7 based on Sarkar and Kang as applied to claims 1-8 further in view of US patent 7,218,667, Arima.

Finally, at section 8, claim 9 is objected to as being dependent upon a rejected base claim, but would be allowable if rewritten in independent form, including all of the limitations of the base claim and any intervening claims.

Claim 1 has been amended to incorporate the features of claims 2 and 9 and thus incorporates all of the limitations of the base claim and any intervening claims with respect to originally submitted claim 9. Claim 1 is therefore believed to be allowable.

Dependent claims 3-8 as amended are also believed to be allowable since they now depend from amended claim 1.

Similarly, originally presented claims 10-13 are also believed to be allowable since each of these claims also depends from claim 1.

Finally, independent mobile device claim 14 and independent system claim 15 have been amended to incorporate features corresponding to those presented in amended claim 1.

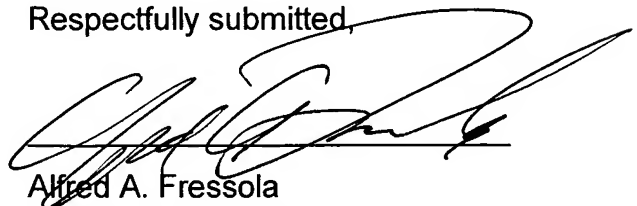
Therefore, in view of the foregoing, it is respectfully submitted that the present application as amended is in condition for allowance and such action is earnestly solicited.

The undersigned respectfully submits that no fee is due for filing this Amendment. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge to deposit account 23-0442 any fee deficiency required to submit this paper.

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